

ACE Mentor Program of Greater NY Scholarship Application Packet 2023-24

Each year, the ACE Mentor Program of Greater NY supports students who are continuing their education in the A-E-C field by providing scholarships to participating high school seniors. The following packet outlines the guidelines and directions for completing the ACE Greater NY Scholarship Application.

If at any point in the scholarship process you have questions, please email us at <u>scholarships@acementorny.org</u>.

Scholarship Requirements

- Senior in High School
- Participated in ACE GNY for at least one year (if this is your first year, that counts!)
- Majoring in an A-E-C related major in college the following year (reference our acceptable majors list below)

List of Acceptable Majors*

- Architectural Engineering
- Architecture
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Science
- Construction Management
- Electrical Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Interior Design
- Landscape Architecture
- Mechanical Engineering
- Urban and Regional Planning

*IMPORTANT

If you are considering a major not listed above and would still like to be considered for an ACE GNY scholarship, you must include a persuasive explanation of how your major will impact the design and construction industry. You will be able to include this essay in the Essays section.

Accessing the Online Application

- 1. Click here to access the ACE database: <u>https://app.acementor.org/login</u>
- 2. Log-in into your ACE profile to sign into your account use the same email and password you used when registering for this year's ACE program
- 3. Click "Scholarships" in the navigation bar on the left-hand side of the screen
- 4. Under Active Scholarships, click "ACE Greater NY Scholarship Application 2023-24"
 - **a.** If it does not appear for you, let us know.



Scholarship Application

All students must complete and submit the online application by **SUNDAY MARCH 10, 2024** 11:59pm.

A completed application includes:

- (a) the online application including 3 essays;
- (b) 2 recommendations [1 from a teacher and one from a mentor]; and
- (c) your high school transcript.

Section 1: Basic Information

Please complete all fields.

Section 2: Education

Please complete all fields.

Enter the top 3 schools you have or will be applying to:

- Click "College" or "Trade School" to enter the school name, city, and state
- Click "Add College" when you need to enter another college
- Please note: If you are applying to Manhattan College, please include that college.

Enter your intended major from the dropdown. If your intended major is not listed, please select "Other" and write-in your intended major.

If you selected "Other", you must complete the optional essay in the Essay Section to explain how your intended major will impact the design and construction industry.

Section 3: Extracurricular Activities

Please complete all fields.

Section 4: Essay Question

Each essay is a minimum of 250 words. Students are **REQUIRED** to complete the first three essays. If a student selects a major not on the Approved Majors list, use the final question box labelled "Optional Essay" to explain how your major will impact the design and construction industry.

Required Essay Questions:

1. What is the impact that the ACE Mentor Program of Greater NY had on you?

2. What is a challenge that you have faced at some point during your life, and how did you respond to that challenge?

3. How will this scholarship affect you personally and your ability to impact the design and construction industry?

OPTIONAL ESSAY: Is there anything else that you wish to share with the Scholarship Committee? If you are choosing a major that is not on the Approved Majors list, please use this field to explain how your major will impact the design and construction industry.



Section 5: Recommendations

The application requires 2 recommendations (**PDF FORMAT**) – One recommendation letter from a teacher and one recommendation letter from an ACE GNY mentor.

 If your school or mentor has a confidential recommendation, they can email it to scholarships@acementorny.org or they can physically mail it to: ACE GNY 1325 Avenue of the Americas, Suite 2738 New York, NY 10019

Section 6: Transcript

You must obtain an official academic transcript from your high school. If your school sends it electronically, you can attach it to your application. If your school requires the transcript be mailed to another person other than the student, you can email it to <u>scholarships@acementorny.org</u>.

Good luck!

For other scholarship opportunities, click here.